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- 1. It is reported Dr. J. Mikus, one of the leading Slovak emigras in Paris, has stated that the Sidor Groups are making special efforts now to bring about greater unity in Slovak emigration. These afforts have reportedly included:
- b. Consideration of attracting the sen around Ferdinand DURCANNY to the proposed unification. The carrying out of any such development would depend in part on just how these men are now regarded by the Western Powers. c. DURCANNY is reported to be now in London. He has just made a trip to France, Italy, Germany and Austria. While in Germany reportedly he saw US officials who showed him his Gestapo dossier and also assured him that he was not on an official list of "war criminals." DURCANNY has also appealed to the Secretariat of the United Nations for infomation as to this question—war criminal—but has been unable to get any answer from them except to the point that the UK no longer has any active work in that connection and its archives are "closed". Apparently he is endeavoring in every way possible to clear his record in order to facilitate greater political activity—possibly in connection with the Western Powers—on his part. The Slovaks are apparently interested in these efforts and would like to bring about as great a unity in their own section of the Czechoslovek emigration as possible. Thus it appears that the Sidor group would like to work with the "untainted" members of the DURCANSKY group.

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